

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF : James Thomas Shiveley  
FOR : **RAPID EFFICIENT INFRARED  
CURING OF POWDER  
COATINGS/WET COATINGS  
AND/OR ULTRAVIOLET  
CURING OF COATINGS AS  
APPLIED TO LABORATORY  
AND PRODCUTION  
PROCESSING**  
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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - Line spacing on the specification, claims, or abstract is not 1-1/2 or double spaced (See 37 CFR 1.52(b)).

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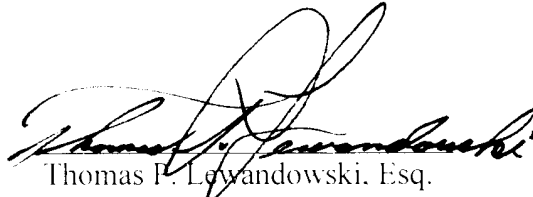
Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application mailed on August 15, 2001, the  
subject application has been amended as follows:

The line spacing for the specifications is in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.52 (b). As such,  
allowance of this patent is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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